

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

JESE DAVID CASILLAS CARRILLO (2);
ROSA ARACELI GRANADO (3);
FRANCISCO DUARTE FIGUEROA (6);
GABRIELA MENDOZA VASQUEZ (7);
BRITTNEY LEE ZARAGOZA (10);
SALVADOR GUDINO CHAVEZ (11); ADAM
BENJAMIN GOLDRING (12); JUVENAL
LANDA SOLANO (14); ERICA MARIA
SOLIS (15); EDGAR OMAR HERRERA
FARIAS(16); JUAN BRAVO ZAMBRANO
(19); MIGUEL REYES GARCIA (21);
JOSE ADRIAN MENDOZA (23); AND
VERONICA ELVIRA CORTEZ (24),

Defendants.

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**ORDER REGARDING BUDGETING AND CJA
VOUCHERS**

On March 28, 2017, the Court held a budgeting hearing in this matter, at which Defendants Carillo Casillas (2), Granados (3), Figueroa (6), Mendoza Vasquez (7), Zaragoza (10), Chavez (11), Solano (14), Solis (15), Herrera Farias (16), Zambrano (19), Reyes Garcia (21), Mendoza (23), and Cortez (24) were present, each represented by counsel. Assistant U.S. Attorney Stephanie Van Marter appeared telephonically on behalf of the U.S. Attorney's Office (USAO). Since that time, Defendant Adam Benjamin Goldring (12) has been taken into

1 custody and made his initial appearance in this matter. At this time,
2 the Court enters orders related to the March 28, 2017 hearing that
3 will aid in the efficient processing of budgeting issues and payment
4 requests in this case.

5 At the hearing, the Court approved the use of Behind the Gavel
6 as a discovery coordinator, based on a quote indicating that its
7 services would cost approximately \$46,600. Discovery Lead Counsel
8 Robin C. Emmans had previously submitted a CJA Funding Application
9 that included a request for \$45,000 for the Behind the Gavel service,
10 and the Court also approved that request. All other budgeting requests
11 have been addressed through individual approval requests submitted by
12 counsel, and the Court will continue to address budgeting requests in
13 this way.

14 At the March 28, 2017 hearing, the Court directed counsel to
15 update the Court as to Behind the Gavel's progress within 30 days of
16 the hearing. The Court now orders that Discovery Lead Counsel or
17 Budgeting Lead Counsel shall provide monthly updates to the Court
18 regarding Behind the Gavel's progress, beginning May 5, 2017. In the
19 event the cost of the Behind the Gavel service increases beyond the
20 \$45,000 amount pre-approved by the Court, Budgeting or Discovery Lead
21 Counsel shall submit a timely motion with good cause shown for
22 approval of additional CJA funds.

23 In addition, to ensure efficient and timely processing of CJA
24 payment vouchers, the Court now directs counsel to submit payment
25 vouchers by no later than the 15th day of every other month, beginning
26 May 15, 2017.

1 Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

2 1. CJA counsel shall file payment vouchers by no later than
3 the 15th day of **every other month, beginning May 15, 2017.**

4 2. Budgeting or Discovery Lead Counsel shall update the Court
5 as to Behind the Gavel's progress **every 30 days, beginning**
6 **May 5, 2017.**

7 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this
8 Order and provide copies to all defense counsel.

9 **DATED** this 27th day of April 2017.

10 s/Edward F. Shea

11 EDWARD F. SHEA

12 Senior United States District Judge
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